2012-2013 Deer-Hunting Dates

for Kisatchie National Forest

bag limit: 1 deer / day; 6 per season; LDWF tags mandatory

National Catahoula Wildlife Management Preserve & National Red Dirt Wildlife Management Preserve

13-14 Oct Youth/Disabled, Either Sex, Still Hunt20-21 Oct Primitive Firearms, Either Sex, Still Hunt

27-28 Oct Either Sex, Still Hunt 23 Nov Either Sex, Still Hunt 24-25 Nov Bucks Only, Still Hunt

Vernon Unit, Calcasieu Ranger District (Vernon Parish) (excluding Ft Polk WMA)

20-21 Oct Primitive Firearms, Either Sex, Still Hunt

27-28 Oct Either Sex, Still Hunt
29 Oct Bucks Only, Still Hunt
3-22 Nov Bucks Only, Still Hunt
23 Nov Either Sex, Still Hunt
Either Sex, Still Hunt
Bucks Only, Still Hunt
15-30 Dec Bucks Only, Still Hunt

Catahoula Ranger District (excluding Catahoula Preserve); Winn Ranger District (excluding Catahoula Preserve); Kisatchie Ranger District (excluding Red Dirt Preserve); and Evangeline Unit, Calcasieu Ranger District

20-21 Oct Primitive Firearms, Either Sex, Still Hunt

27-28 Oct Either Sex, Still Hunt
29 Oct Bucks Only, Still Hunt
3-22 Nov Bucks Only, Still Hunt
23 Nov Either Sex, Still Hunt
24-25 Nov Bucks Only, Still Hunt

15-23 Dec

Bucks Only, Still Hunt

24-30 Dec Bucks Only, Still Hunt

Caney Ranger District (Claiborne & Webster Parishes)

20-26 Oct Primitive Firearms, Still Hunt 27 Oct - 13 Jan 2013 Regular Firearms, Still Hunt 14-20 Jan 2013 Primitive Firearms, Still Hunt

Deer Archery:

Vernon Unit, Calcasieu Ranger District: September 15th - January 15th. (See Ft Polk WMA regulations.)

Remainder of Kisatchie National Forest (including Catahoula & Red Dirt Preserves): October 1 - January 31st.

Some Other Seasons on Kisatchie National Forest

(Catahoula & Red Dirt Preserves have restrictions - check Preserve regulations):

Rabbit: opens 1st Saturday of October, closes last day of February (daily bag limit = 8, possession limit = 16). Squirrel: opens 1st Saturday of October, closes last day of February (daily bag limit = 8, possession limit = 16). (no Spring squirrel season on Kisatchie National Forest)

Quail: opens 3rd Saturday of November, closes last day of February (daily bag limit = 10, possession limit = 20).